RECEIVED CENTRAL FAX CENTER

JUL 1 2 2005



John S. Golian

2555|Grand Blvd. Kansas City Missouri 64108-2613 916.474.6550 816.421.5547 Fax jgollan@shb.com

TO **PHONE** FAX COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS -703-872-9306-4 P.O. BOX 1450 ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450 **FROM** IT# **MATTER#** JOHN S. GOLIAN 14504 SPRI.90852 DATE 3 Pages Transmitted JULY 12, 2005 Original Document Will Not Follow If you experience any problems, please call 816.474.6550 extension

COMMENTS:



Geneva
Houston
Kansas City
London
Miami
Orange County
Overland Park
San Francisco
Tampa
Washington, D.C.

Confidentiality Notice: The documents accompanying this telecopy transmission contain confidential information belonging to the sender which is legally privileged. The information is intended only for the use of the individual(s) or enlity(ica) named above. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any disclosure, copying, distribution or the taking of any action in reliance on the contents of this telecopied information is strictly prohibited. If you have received this telecopy in error, please immediately notify us by telephone in arrange for return of the original documents to us.

Serial No. 10/054,503 Filed: 1/22/2002

RECEIVED CENTRAL FAX CENTER

1735/\$PRL90852

PATENT

JUL 1 2 2005

Applicant: Charles M. LaMotta et al.) Attorney Docket No. 1735/SPRI.90852
)
Serial No. 10/054,503) Group Art Unit: 2191
)
Filing Date: January 22, 2002) Examiner: Mary J. Steelman
)
PRODUCT INCOMPATIBILITY) Confirmation No. 6482
SYSTEM

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION 37 C.F.R. § 1.8

hereby certify that this correspondence is being sent by facsimile to fax no. 703-872-9306 on:

07/12/2005 Date Wendy Kiefe

VIA FACSIMILE 703-872-9306

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SUMMARY OF TELEPHONIC INTERVIEW

Pursuant to MPEP § 713.04, Applicants submit this Summary setting forth a statement of the substance of the telephonic interview on July 11, 2005.

Brief Description of the Nature of any Exhibit Shown or any Demonstration Conducted:

No exhibits were shown and no demonstrations were conducted.

Identification of the Claims Discussed:

Independent claims 1 and 13 were discussed.

Identification of Specific Prior Art Discussed:

U.S. Patent No. 6,182,275 to Beelitz ("Beelitz") and U.S. Patent No. 6,853,978 to Forth et al. ("Forth") were discussed.

1705120vj

1735/SPRI.90852

Serial No. 10/054,503 Filed: 1/22/2002

Identification of the Principle Proposed Amendments of a Substantive Nature Discussed:

Applicant's representative and the Examiner briefly discussed potential amendments to independent claim 1.

The General Thrust of the Principal Arguments of Applicant and the Examiner:

With respect to the 103(a) rejection of independent claim 1, Applicant's representative indicated that there is no motivation or suggestion to modify the Beelitz reference with the Forth reference. The modification would render the Beelitz invention unsatisfactory for its intended purpose and would change the principle of operation of the Beelitz reference. Applicant's representative also indicated that the references failed to teach or suggest all of the claim limitations.

With respect to the 103(a) rejection of independent claim 13, Applicant's representative briefly indicated that there was similarly no motivation or suggestion to modify the Beelitz reference and that the references failed to teach or suggest all the claim limitations.

General Indication Of Any Other Pertinent Matters Discussed:

The Examiner kindly indicated that she would take all arguments into consideration.

Respectfully submitted.

John S. Golian Reg. No. 54,702

2

SHOOK, HARDY & BACON L.L.P. 2555 Grand Blvd. Kansas City, Missouri 64108-2613

Telephone (816) 474-6550

1705120v1